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For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MANUFACTURE OF LAMINATED  
OPTICAL DISC

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is  
respectfully requested to amend the claims as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend the claims as follows (a marked-up copy of claim 19 is attached at the  
end of this Response):

19. (Amended - Clean Copy) The laminated optical disc manufacturing method  
according to claim 15, further comprising completely curing the partly cured adhesive layer  
and completely bonding the first and the second substrates throughout the adhesive layer.

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